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General Lemuel C. Shepherd, Jr., USMC
Chairman, Inter-American Defense Board
2600 16th Street, N. W.
Washington, D. C.

Dear General Shepherd:

Thank you for your letter of 25 August 1958, addressed to the Director. This Agency will be happy to make the presentations which you have suggested for the benefit of your International Staff as well as the Board's Council of Delegates.

In accordance with your suggestion I have designated Mr. [] of the Agency's Office of Training to work out the details with Brigadier General Skaer and will have him communicate with General Skaer at once. In addition to the subjects which you suggest, the Agency's Inspector General will initiate the series of presentations with a briefing on the U. S. intelligence community with attention focused on the organization, mission and function of this Agency.

I am sure that Mr. Dulles will also agree that the IADE does present an unusual opportunity to acquaint the leaders and the future leaders of Latin America with some basic concepts bearing upon the threat of international communism posed by the Soviet Union to the security of this Hemisphere. I shall call your letter to his attention upon his return.

Sincerely,



C. P. Cabell
General, USAF
Acting Director

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